

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application of: Jerussi et al.

Application No.: 09/987,930

Group Art Unit: 1614

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Examiner: V. Kim

For: METHODS OF TREATING

Attorney Docket No.: 4821-438

AND PREVENTING AFFECTIVE DISORDERS USING BUPROPION METABOLITES (As amended)

RESPONSE

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 26, 2003, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks for entry into the record and consideration by the Examiner. Submitted herewith are a Petition of Extension of Time and a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

Amendments to the Title are on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.